

The Broadband over Power Line(BPL)proposal by power companies will effectively shut down Amateur Radio communications. The electric companies state that BPL radiation is already within limits. Why then do they want the limits relaxed?

Last month I viewed the American Radio Relay League(ARRL)W1RFI mobile test and was appalled at the results! Virtually every Amateur band up through 6 meters would be wiped out.

As an American, and as an Amateur for over 40 years, trained in emergency communications and active in ARES, RACES, Skywarn, and a communicator during the 9/11 emergency, I would ask that you deny the power companies' petition.

The ARRL has adopted a motto: "When All Else Fails...Amateur Radio". Unfortunately, much of Amateur Radio will become part of the "All Else".

Thank you

The American Radio Relay